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Applicant herewith submits to the United St	ates Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)	the following items and other information:								
1. X This is a FIRST submission of item	s concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
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3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.										
4. X The US has been elected (Article 31).										
A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))										
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a. is attached hereto.										
Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))										
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	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). UNSIGNED VERSION ONLY									
10. An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).										
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:										
11. An Information Disclosure Statem	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.									
12. An assignment document for reco	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.									
13. A preliminary amendment.	A preliminary amendment.									
14. An Application Data Sheet under	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.									
A substitute specification.										
16. A power of attorney and/or change	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.									
17. A computer-readable form of the s	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.									
18. A second copy of the published in	A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).									
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Enclosed is a new National-Phase Utility Application for immediate filing. The following items are enclosed:

- 1. 35 U.S.C § 371 Patent Application Transmittal Sheet PTO-1390 signed
- 2. Fee:\$\(\frac{750.00}{\}\), Check No. \(\text{1299}\) (Application is a SMALL ENTITY).
- 3. Declaration, Oath, and Power of Attorney (unsigned) (2 pages).
- 4. Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. §1.76 signed (2 pages).
- 5. Preliminary Amendment signed (4 pages).
- 6. Complete copy of WO 03/101351 A2 (PCT/DE03/01834) application, including cover page, seven-page specification, 12 claims, and 1 sheets of drawings.
- 7. Information Disclosure Statement signed (2 pages).
- 8. PTO-1449 listing six (6) references, six references (one translated abstract) enclosed.
- 9. Authorization to charge deposit account 50-2920 for additional fees.
- 10. Certificate of Express Mailing above.
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